

Newell, Norment, Page, Parker, Patton, Pinnix, Presson, Proffitt, Reid, Shackelford, Sharpe, Smith of Anson, Smith of Hyde, Spears, Staples, Staton, Stephenson, Stowe, Tate, Walden, Walker of Tyrrell, Ward, Wheeler, Whisnant, Whitley, Wiley, Wood, Woodhouse and Young—84.

Mr. Bunn voted in the negative.

Mr. Staples moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed its third reading, and to lay that motion on the table. The motion to table prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Pinnix, the rules were suspended, and

S. B. No. 591, H. B. No. 606: A bill to amend the charter of the city of Newbern, was taken from the calendar, and made the special order for Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Gudger, from the committee appointed to draft appropriate resolutions of respect to the memory of Robt. H. Ballard, of Gates, late a member of this House, reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst, in the full vigor of manhood and activity, our esteemed friend and worthy brother member, Hon. Robert H. Ballard, of the county of Gates; and *whereas*, in his death the State is deprived of a vigilant, faithful and devoted public servant. Therefore,

*Resolved*, That this House do now adjourn as a sincere token of respect to his memory.

*Resolved*, That we tender our kindest sympathy and most hearty condolence to his bereaved family and friends in this, their hour of sadness and affliction.

*Resolved*, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of this House, and that the Speaker be requested to transmit a copy of the same to the family of the deceased.

And the House then adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.